

LEE CO. ROAD PATROL SYSTEM MAY BE RETAINED

AMERICANS MISSING IN SMYRNA; CONSUL- ATE IS DESTROYED

British Warn Turks of
Bombardment If Any
Crime Continues.

BULLETIN.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Malta, Sept. 15.—(By the Associated Press)—Hundreds of bodies of victims of the Turkish massacre in Smyrna were lying in the streets of the city when the British hospital ship Maine left there with more than 400 refugees on board, it is stated by Reuters' Smyrna correspondent who arrived here on the Maine today.

Smyrna, Sept. 15.—(By the Associated Press)—The fire which started in the Armenian quarter of Smyrna early yesterday afternoon had spread early this morning to the Turkish sections of the city and was making rapid headway.

The entire European section is in ashes and countless thousands are homeless. There were hundreds of casualties among persons who were caught in the sections where the flames spread with greatest rapidity.

Fourteen naturalized Americans are missing, but all the American born are accounted for. Ten of them are in the suburbs, with American and Turkish guards.

U. S. Consulate Burned

The American consulate general was situated in the burned area. Consul General George Horton and his staff left as the flames swept toward the building, taking with them the official codes and funds, together with the most important records and documents.

An American destroyer sailed for Saloniki with six hundred refugees and another later cleared for Piraeus with 400 persons, including some of the consular staff members of the American benevolent organizations and business men.

Believe Missing Were College Folks

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, Sept. 15.—It is believed here that the fourteen naturalized Americans reported missing in Smyrna are members of the American International College, which comprises the bulk of the American population in Smyrna. They were at the Paradise College compound, three miles from Smyrna, according to a telegram dated Sept. 12.

Several teachers of this college already have fled.

Grave Concern for Army Remnant

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Mudania, Sept. 15.—(By the Associated Press)—The Greek cruisers Gorgios, Averoff and Kilkis, the latter formerly the U. S. S. Mississippi, are at Panderma covering the retreat of the remnant of the Greek army, for whose safety grave concern is felt. The Turks are at the heels of the fleeing Greeks and it is believed the latter are doomed unless the Greek government can provide vessels for their escape.

Two companies of French infantry were sent to this city from Constantinople for the temporary protection of thousands of Christian refugees here, many of whom, panic stricken, are throwing themselves into the sea.

When the Turks invaded the town they notified the French commander that the presence of his troops would not be tolerated, but he stood his ground.

American Consul Arrives at Piraeus

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Athens, Sept. 15.—An American destroyer arrived yesterday at Piraeus from Smyrna with the American consul and several other American citizens and numerous Armenian refugees.

A dispatch from Constantinople last night said all the naturalized Americans in Smyrna were being taken to Athens, accompanied by George Horton, the American consul general, on board the torpedo boat destroyer Simpson.

Turk Nationalists Nearing Constantinople

Constantinople, Sept. 15.—(By the Associated Press)—The Turkish nationalist army is now within thirty-five miles of Constantinople. The population is in a state of nervous tension, and the entire city is ripe with rumors about Mustapha Kemal Pasha's designs upon the capital.

One story is that the nationalist commander has sent an ultimatum to the allied powers demanding the evacuation of their forces from the

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MANY MASSACRES IN SMYRNA WERE REPORTED TODAY

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.
Massacres of far-reaching proportions are reported to have occurred at Smyrna, attending the terrible conflagration which has just swept over the city.

The first reports came from Greek sources and estimated the number of victims as high as 1,000 to 2,000. Later reports from British eye-witnesses and from Americans arriving at Greek ports tended to confirm the massacres and give harrowing accounts of the extent of the devastation wrought.

An English agency dispatch declared the British admiral had warned the Turks at Smyrna that if the massacre continued, the Turk quarter would be bombarded.

A correspondent of Reuters arrived at Malta said hundreds of bodies of the victims were lying in the streets of Smyrna when he left and the pilaging and massacring were continuing.

The Greeks were not blameless he declares, as they had aroused the Turks by setting fire to villages during the retreat of the Greek army.

The invasion of the British consulate at Smyrna by the Turks and the murder of an official there also were reported.

A Greek semi-official dispatch from Athens quoted an American investigator as estimating the number of victims up to the time of the fire in Smyrna at 1,000. The property loss from the conflagration is estimated in the Greek quarter at \$75,000,000.

It seems probable the Turks will be given a joint allied warning to respect the neutrality of the Constantinople district in the meantime and not march upon that city or invade Thrace.

Roads to Dixon Are Being Put in Shape

Supervisor D. H. Spencer is responsible for a great deal of road repair work, which is under way on the main arteries of travel out of the city of Dixon for which he should receive the commendation of the users of these roads. Through his untiring efforts, Road Commissioner James Penny and his force of men have completed the improvement on the Chicago road from the city limits to the Northwestern viaduct. The holes in the road have been filled and a gravel surface replaces the rough roadway.

On Peoria avenue, south of the city center, a similar campaign of road repair work has been carried out. Activity is now centered on the River road from the east city limits to the Daysville road. The road is being scarified and re-surfaced with new gravel.

Lee Center to Play Brooklyn on Sunday

Lee Center's baseball team, flushed by its fine recent victories over Amboy, 7 to 4, and Arlington, 16 to 7, will tackle West Brooklyn at the Lee Center park Sunday. Beepen or Shoemaker will pitch for Lee Center, while Sherman or Knauer will officiate for West Brooklyn with Barthel doing the receiving.

Crimes I Have Solved; A Sleuth's Own Story!

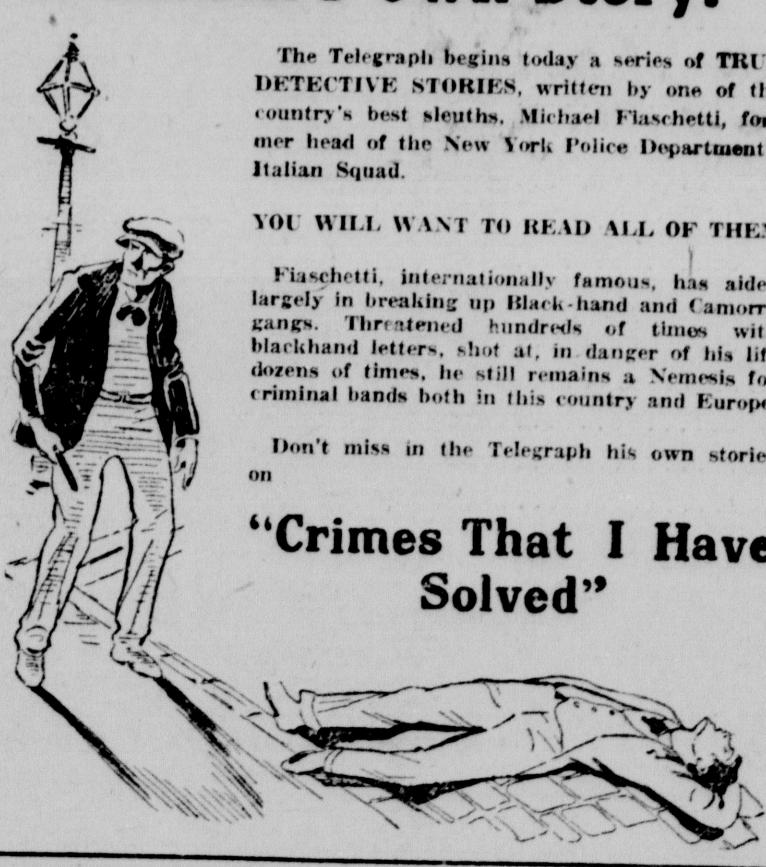
The Telegraph begins today a series of TRUE DETECTIVE STORIES, written by one of the country's best sleuths, Michael Flaschetti, former head of the New York Police Department's Italian Squad.

YOU WILL WANT TO READ ALL OF THEM

Flaschetti, internationally famous, has aided largely in breaking up Black-hand and Camorra gangs. Threatened hundreds of times with blackhand letters, shot at, in danger of his life dozens of times, he still remains a Nemesis for criminal bands both in this country and Europe.

Don't miss in the Telegraph his own stories

"Crimes That I Have Solved"



DIXON KNIGHTS AND LADIES HAD GREAT TIME AT CONCLAVE

Returned Wednesday Eve
Filled with Enthusiasm
for Order.

The Dixon Knights Templar and their ladies returned from the conclave at Peoria Wednesday evening, with a lot of added enthusiasm which can only be acquired by attending such a wonderful meeting.

A reception committee with a band and a number of the Sir Knights from Peoria met the Dixon cars and escorted the Dixon and Sterling Sir Knights to the Mohammed Temple, where the ladies had been taken by auto. A grand reception for R. E. Grand Commander William Henry Jennings was being held at the temple and as each Commander arrived they were met at the train and escorted to the temple and each band in turn serenaded the Grand Commander.

Band of One Thousand

The most spectacular event of the entire conclave was the grand parade which was really a double parade for after the Sir Knights had paraded by the reviewing stand in regular order, the entire line was reformed into a mass formation. The bands were all formed into one immense band with over one thousand musicians, led by all of the drum majors marching in mass formation from curb to curb, twenty-four men abreast. The "colours" were massed and it was a most wonderful sight to see the beautiful silk American flags followed by the flags and emblems of the Sir Knights. The officers preceding, the Sir Knights following in the same formation. Such a parade formation has never been attempted outside of our regular army and the people who witnessed that spectacle as the parade came down the main street will never forget it. Moving pictures were taken and will probably be shown here in a very short time.

Serenade Grand Commander

The Dixon Sir Knights and ladies enjoyed the trip very much. They serenaded the Grand Commander Sir Knight Wm. Jennings with a song written for the occasion and on the return trip they serenaded the Dixon Commander Sir Knight William Ware.

Grand Sword Bearer Sir Knight Glen Cox and Dixon's Past Commander Sir Knight Amos Bosworth, each in turn, with impromptu songs. They also serenaded the Rockford and Sterling Commanders Rockford Commandery responded with a serenade. Sterling Commandery responded by songs sung by one of their Sir Knights.

The Dixon delegation returned a very happy but very tired lot of people.

Minimum Salary of \$1,000 for Brethren Pastors is Decision

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Decatur, Ill., Sept. 15.—Assignment of pastors in the United Brethren church in Illinois will be read at the Sunday morning session of the conference in session here this week. Laymen attending the conference have expressed through a resolution that expenses of the church organization be curtailed until the minimum salary of a pastor may be made \$1,000 a year.

Dixon has a \$200,000 Court House, \$250,000 theater, \$50,000 Y. M. C. A., \$60,000 Public Library, \$45,000 City Hall, \$110,000 Post Office, \$75,000 Elks Club, \$40,000 Masonic Temple and \$40,000 Home Telephone Building.

Dixon is the home of the State Hospital for Feeble Minded and Epileptics, situated about two miles north of the city with an investment of approximately \$2,500,000 which is constantly increasing in size as there is budget set aside to be expended by this institution by the state. Dixon also has one public hospital and a site laid out for a County Tuberculosis Sanitarium. The public hospital has thirty-five patients' rooms, two operating rooms, two nurses' rooms, one class room and ten rooms cared for by societies.

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Tilden, Johnston in Semi-Finals

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 15.—William M. Johnston of San Francisco, Calif., faced Vincent Richards, of Yonkers, New York and William T. Tilden II, of Philadelphia was matched against Gerald M. Patterson, of Melbourne, Australia, today in the semi-finals of the national lawn tennis singles championship tournament on the courts of the Germantown Cricket club.

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Grand Jurors Will Report Tuesday P.M.

The grand jury for the September term of the circuit court has been ordered to report Tuesday afternoon to start their investigation. The docket for the term is quite heavy with a long list of cases on both the common law and chancery dockets. The prospect is also for a heavy criminal docket. Judge Harry Edwards of this city will preside during the term.

President Able to
Go to Office Today

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington, Sept. 15.—President Harding, due to the steady improvement in the condition of Mrs. Harding, was able today to go to his office for the first time in a week.

The Friday cabinet session was the President's only engagement for the day, his semi-weekly conference with newspaper correspondents having been called off to permit him to spend the afternoon near Mrs. Harding's residence.

Continued improvement in Mrs. Harding's condition was reported today by Brig. General C. E. Sawyer, her physician, who in response to inquiries replied that "all's well."

It is pointed out by United States District Attorney Thomas P. Revell of Seattle that Rosenbluth has agreed to waive all right to immunity.

Accused Officer Waives Immunity

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 15.—Captain Robert Rosenbluth of New York, accused by Sergeant Roland Pothier in a confession afterward repudiated of having instigated the fatal shooting of Major Alexander Cronkhite at Camp Lewis, Washington, in 1918, has not been subpoenaed for a federal grand jury inquiry into the case it was learned from an authoritative source here today.

The princess, who speaks good English and dresses fashionably said there were no flappers in her country—yet

The weather is generally fair tonight and Saturday; not much change in temperature.

Wisconsin—Generally fair tonight and Saturday; slightly cooler tonight, probably light frost in north and central portions.

Iowa—Generally fair tonight and Saturday; cooler in west and central portions tonight, probably light frost in northwest and north central portions.

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THE BUSY MAN'S NEWSPAPER



MOTOR SHERIFF IS GETTING ALL KINDS OF WORK

Justice Courts Here
and in Amboy Are
Fining Many.

Lee county's Motorcycle Mike is doing very effective work as is evidenced by the arrests and prosecutions that have been brought thus far this week. Amboy was visited upon request of the city officials and eight arrests have resulted. Justice Hines has collected fines of \$3 and costs from six offenders, all of whom were driving in the city without tail lights. Those who have been fined are E. H. Utley, J. C. Brady, James F. Thompson, James A. Berry, Flanell brothers and Edwin H. Becker.

Locally, the speeder's court has been grinding out justice to those who have failed to heed the warning. Harry Willett of Rock Falls paid a fine of \$5 and costs for driving without a tail light. John C. Roe paid a fine of \$10 and costs for speeding. Don Raymond of this city paid \$5 and costs for not having the tail light lighted and Fred Nass of Franklin Grove was also fined a like amount for the same offense.

Dan Wolfe reported yesterday afternoon because of failure to have the tail light burning and retained an attorney to fight the case. William Ryan of Dixon was also brought in on a similar charge.

It was announced this morning that the plea of drivers of auto trucks that it is impossible to keep tail lights on such vehicles because they are continually broken off in bucking into curbs, is not valid and that such violations will be prosecuted just as any others.

BIG RAILROAD SIGNS AGREEMENT WITH ITS TRAINMEN THIS MORN

New York Central Adds to
Peace Situation in
the East.

New York, Sept. 15.—(By the Associated Press Leased Wire)

Belleville, Ill., Sept. 15.—Major Frank M. Kennedy, who has been stationed at Scott Field, the government's flying field near here since Sept. 25, 1921, departed for Germany today where he will supervise the construction of a great Zeppelin that is to be built by Germany for the United States. His wife and son accompanied him.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 15.—The executive council of the American Federation of Labor today will tackle the controversy over which the brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners and the Sheet Metal Workers' Union, which it is declared by federation chiefs, threatens a nation-wide tie up of building construction.

This controversy arising from a dispute over which organization shall dominate the metal trimmings in new buildings, already has halved millions of dollars worth of construction in Detroit, Cleveland and other cities, it was asserted.

The signing of the agreement was announced after a conference between A. H. Smith, president of the New York Central Railroad, W. G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and L. E. Sheppard, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Conductors.

The road said it anticipated that forthcoming direct negotiations would result in similar agreements with the engineers, grooms and switchmen on all its lines.

"The New York Central management," said the statement, "feels that today's settlement is a happy augury of a better transportation."

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Sept. 15.—Refusal by a number of the country's biggest railroads to enter into the Warrfield-Willard-Jewell plan for ending the shopmen's strike on the basis of separate and individual agreements, developed an element of considerable uncertainty today over the scope and effectiveness of the peace program.

While some of the larger systems

had flatly rejected the plan, others,

however, notably the Chicago &

Northwestern and the Chicago,

Milwaukee & St. Paul had virtually com-

Today's Market Report (By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Chicago Grain Table

	Associated Press Leased Wire	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT					
Sept.	98%	1.01%	98%	1.01%	
Dec.	99%	1.02	99%	1.01%	
May	1.04%	1.06%	1.04%	1.06%	
OATS					
Sept.	61%	62%	61%	62%	
Dec.	56%	57%	56%	57%	
May	59%	60%	59%	60%	
COATS					
Sept.	37%	37%	35%	37%	37%
Dec.	34%	35%	34%	35%	
May	37%	38%	37%	38%	
ARD					
Oct.	10.52	10.40	10.52		
Jan.				8.97	
DS					9.92
Sept.					9.92
Oct.					9.92

Chicago Cash Grain

	Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Sept. 15.—Wheat No. 3 red	1.05; No. 4 red 1.02; No. 1 hard 1.02%; sample grade hard 98%@1.01; No. 1 northern 1.08; No. 2 mixed 1.02%@1.05%; No. 1 yellow hard 1.01%; No. 2 yellow hard 1.01%@1.02%; No. 3 yellow hard 1.01%; Corn No. 2 mixed 63%@1%; No. 3 mixed 61%; No. 4 mixed 59%@1%; No. 5 mixed 58%@1%; No. 6 mixed 57%; No. 1 yellow 63%; No. 2 yellow 63%@64%; No. 3 yellow 62%@4%; No. 4 yellow 59%@60%; No. 5 yellow 58%@59%; No. 6 yellow 57%; No. 2 white 63%@64%; No. 3 white 62%@4%; No. 4 white 59%@6%; No. 5 white 58%@6%; No. 6 white 57%@6%; sample grade 56%@4%.
Cats. No. 2, 38@1%; No. 3 white 36%@27%;	
Eye No. 2, 72%@4%.	
Barley 57@62.	
Timothy seed 4.25@5.25.	
Clover seed 13.00@16.50.	
Forage cornfod.	
Lard 16.52.	
Ribes 9.75@10.75.	

Chicago Produce

	Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Sept. 15.—Butter firm:	
buttery extras 28@4; firsts 31@4@33;	
extra firsts 34@4@37; seconds 29@4@30;	
20; standards 35@4.	
Eggs unchanged; receipts 6712 cases.	

Poultry alive, higher; fowls 16@25;
spring 24; roasters 14@4.
Potatoes strong on whites, steady on Early Ohios; receipts 38 cars; total U. S. shipments 730; Wisconsin sacked and bulk round whites Antigo section 1.90@2.00 cwt; other sections 1.50@1.65 cwt; Minnesota and Dakota sacked and bulk Early Ohio 1.15@1.25 cwt; Minnesots mixed red and white varieties 1.35 cwt.
Chicago Livestock
By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Sept. 15.—Cattle receipts 1500; active, generally steady to strong on all classes; fat native beef steers comparatively scarce; quality and flesh condition rather plain; top matured beef steers 11.55; bulk 9.00@10.00; bulk hogback bulls around 4.75; bulk veal calves 13.25@13.50; bulk panniers and cutters 2.90@3.65.
East St. Louis Horses
By Associated Press Leased Wire
East St. Louis, Ill.—Horses: Good 1/1 choice draft \$155@170; good eastern chunkers \$80@95; choice southern horses \$100@110.
Mules: 16 to 17 hands \$175@225; 15 to 16 hands \$150@225; 14 to 15 hands \$60@70.

Local Markets

	GRAIN
Corn	52@4
Oats	28
PRODUCE	
Butter	34
Eggs	28

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of John M. Sterling, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Executrix of the last Will and Testament of John M. Sterling, late of the County of Lee, and State of Illinois, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon, at the December Term on the first Monday in December, next, at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this Fourteenth day of September, A. D. 1922.

Robert W. Sterling,
James E. Sterling,
Executors.

Henry C. Warner, Attorney.

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Francis X. Newcomer,
Executor.

Henry C. Warner, Attorney.

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Society

Friday.
Security Benefit Association—Union
Hall.
Dorothy Chapter, O. E. S.—Masonic
Hall.
W. C. T. U.—M. E. Church.

ADDITIONAL SOCIETY ON PAGE 2

OUT OF THE NIGHT THAT
COVERS ME—

By W. F. Henley.
Out of the night that covers me,
Black as the pit from pole to pole,
I thank whatever gods may be
For my unconquerable soul.

In the fell clutch of circumstance
I have not wined nor cried aloud;
Under the bludgeonings of chance,
My head is bloody, but unbowed;

Beyond this place of wrath and tears
Looms but the horror of the shade,
And yet the menace of the years,
Finds and shall find me unafraid.

It matters not how strait the gate,
How charged with punishments the scroll,
I am the master of my fate,
I am the captain of my soul.

LADIES' SOCIAL CIRCLE
OF PRAIRIEVILLE—

The Ladies' Social Circle of Prairieville held an all-day meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Henry Belcher of Gap Grove.

There was a very good attendance at the meeting, twenty-five members and five visitors present.

At noon the usual scramble dinner of good things to eat was enjoyed by all. The decorations were two large bouquets, one of mixed asters and the other of carnations and ferns which were very pretty.

The meeting was opened by Mrs. John Praetz playing several selections on the player piano.

The president, Mrs. Laura Royer, then led in the responsive reading which was the 100th Psalm. All united in repeating the Lord's Prayer.

The meeting was then open for the transaction of business which was quite lengthy. It was decided upon to hold a picnic on Sept. 27, at Lowell Park, to which all members and their families are invited to attend.

The next meeting of the Circle will be held at the home of Mrs. Robert Aldrich on Oct. 4th.

The day was spent in sewing on quilt patches and all went to their home after having spent a pleasant day.

SOUTH DIXON COMMUNITY
CLUB MEETING—

The South Dixon Community Club held a meeting with Mrs. Walter Ortiglesen Wednesday afternoon with an unusually large attendance. The afternoon was spent in sewing and chat, after which the following program was given:

A vocal solo "Fare Thee Well," by Margaret Eberly which was very fine and greatly enjoyed; Mrs. Frank Clessner gave a very good discussion of fall styles; many good points of interest being brought out; Mrs. Ed. Henry gave a pleasing solo, "Suane River Moon"; followed by a very good reading by Mrs. Mathias Lleavan on "Thankfulness."

After the program a tempting luncheon was served by the hostesses, assisted by Mesdames Lleavan and Tourtillot.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Joe Snader.

NUMBER OF FRIENDS AND
NEIGHBORS CELEBRATE
MR. HENRY'S BIRTHDAY—

Wednesday evening a number of friends, about forty in number, gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Henry about two and one-half miles out on the Dutch road and held a surprise in honor of Mr. Henry's birthday anniversary. He was completely surprised and entered into the evening's pleasure with spirit.

Cards and dancing were enjoyed, George Williams winning the first prize and Ed. Dule the second prize for gentlemen. Mrs. Mathias Lleavan and Mrs. Ralph Dixon cut for first honors for the ladies' and Mrs. Lleavan won, while Mrs. Lauren Henry won the consolation prize for ladies. Delicious refreshments were served and everyone reports an delightful evening, and the guests departed at a late hour, leaving gifts and best wishes for Mr. Henry.

BIRTHDAY AND WEDDING
ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED—

Last Thursday, Sept. 7th, was Grandma Beaver's ninety-sixth birthday, and also Mr. and Mrs. John Schade's first anniversary and in honor of the event Mrs. John Schade of Ashton entertained with a chicken dinner. Grandma Beaver, Mrs. Letz, Mrs. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. William Killmer, Mrs. Sophie Schade, Misses Minnie and Emma Schade, Mr. and Mrs. Faust H. Boyd and daughter, Ruth. A two-course dinner was served.

Yvonne Beauty Shop

Odd Fellows Building, over Miller's Music Store. The ladies of Dixon and vicinity are cordially invited.

Florence Edous

Graduate Chicago Hair Dressing
Academy. Phone 423.

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Witnesses of our
worth and work
speak for us. Write
for list.

Dr. W. F. Aydelotte

Neurologist Health Instructor
723 Crawford Ave., Dixon, Ill.
Phone 160 for Appointments

RETURNS TO CHICAGO
AFTER VISIT HERE—

John McGinnis, Jr., returned to his home in Chicago yesterday, after a two weeks' visit at the home of his uncle, Peter McGinnis of Route 5.

WILBUR CLAYTON HAS
RETURNED TO SCHOOL—

Wilbur Clayton has returned to school at the University of Illinois, where he is taking the engineering course; his second year.

MRS. BRISCOE VISITED IN
POLO YESTERDAY—

Mrs. Ray Briscoe and children visited in Polo yesterday at the home of her mother, Mrs. C. J. Mayborn, driving up in the morning.

W. R. C. HELD SPECIAL MEET-
ING WEDNESDAY EVENING—

At a special meeting of the Dixon Woman's Relief Corps No. 218, Auxiliary to the G. A. R., held on Wednesday evening in G. A. R. hall, a large class of candidates was initiated among which were not only two mothers and their daughters, but a large number of daughters of mothers already members of the corps. It could well be called "Mother and Daughters" night.

It has been rightly said that every American Woman should belong to some patriotic order. In so doing, it is her privilege and sacred duty to keep alive the spark of patriotism and the light of democracy. The ranks of the Grand Army are gradually diminishing, but it will "always" be the sacred trust of the Woman's Relief Corps to cherish the memory of the "Boys in Blue" and all they mean to our country.

The post was represented and Comrade Johnson spoke a few words of welcome to the new members.

A short program and refreshments followed. Mrs. Albertine McKenney gave two readings, followed by a clarinet solo by Master Wm. Rhodes accompanied on the piano by Mrs. W. W. Moore.

MEMPHIS—Mobile won the championship of the Southern Association.

NATURE LOVES BRIGHT COLORS—

We see the truth of this statement in the varied flowers, the vivid sunsets, the birds of brilliant plumage. But we never see it exemplified more attractively than in the person of a splendidly healthy woman. How does nature paint this health? Why, in the rosy cheeks, the transparent skin, the smooth red lips of such a woman. And she molds it in firm flesh and rounded contours. The ailing woman is deficient in natural coloring, and she does not even appear to advantage in clothes that would set off her more attractive sister. Many women who long for glowing health will find that they, too, can have these charms if they will give a trial to that remedy which brings strength to frail women—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—Adv.

IF YOU ARE WELL BRED—

You know a man rises from his seat when a woman enters the room, and when she departs.

When taking leave of his hostess a polite man waits for her to offer her hand. If she does not do this he merely bows and says good-bye.

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DO YOU LIKE SOFT HANDS?

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OUT OF THE NIGHT THAT
COVERS ME—

By W. F. Henley.
Out of the night that covers me,
Black as the pit from pole to pole,
I thank whatever gods may be
For my unconquerable soul.

In the fell clutch of circumstance
I have not wined nor cried aloud;
Under the bludgeonings of chance,
My head is bloody, but unbowed;

Beyond this place of wrath and tears
Looms but the horror of the shade,
And yet the menace of the years,
Finds and shall find me unafraid.

It matters not how strait the gate,
How charged with punishments the scroll,
I am the master of my fate,
I am the captain of my soul.

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SPORT BRIEFS

By Associated Press Leased Wire

BROOKLYN.—Pancho Villa won the heavyweight championship of the United States when he scored a technical knockout over Johnny Buff, in the eleventh round.

MEMPHIS—Mobile won the championship of the Southern Association.

MARRIAGE A LA MODE—

Among certain South American Indian tribes the man goes to live with his wife and her family after marriage.

He is treated as a stranger until the birth of the first child, when he is received on a less formal basis.

In case of the death of his wife it is necessary for him to marry her sister or nearest female relative.

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HOW THEY STAND
AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	86	54	.514
St. Louis	85	56	.603
Detroit	74	68	.521
Chicago	70	71	.496
Cleveland	69	71	.493
Washington	62	75	.453
Philadelphia	57	81	.413
Boston	56	83	.403

Yesterday's Results.

New York, 4; Chicago, 1.
Detroit, 5; Philadelphia, 2.
Cleveland, 4; Washington, 3.
St. Louis, 5; Boston, 3.

GAMES TODAY.

New York at Chicago.
Washington at Cleveland.
Philadelphia at Detroit.
Boston at St. Louis.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	83	53	.610
Pittsburgh	79	59	.572
St. Louis	78	62	.561
Cincinnati	75	63	.543
Chicago	72	64	.529
Brooklyn	67	70	.489
Philadelphia	48	86	.381
Boston	46	89	.341

Yesterday's Results.

New York, 7; Chicago, 6.
Pittsburgh, 8; Boston, 6.
Cincinnati, 7; Brooklyn, 2.
St. Louis, 9; Philadelphia, 4.

GAMES TODAY.

Chicago at New York.
Pittsburgh at Boston.
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St. Louis at Philadelphia.

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THE ORDERLY MAN'S GUN

It is a queer state of society which
insists that the orderly citizen shall
go unarmed but makes no effective
provisions to take the gun away from
the thugs.In one of the cities where crimes
involving shooting have been especially
frequent, a citizens' committee
was organized, with the full consent
of the authorities, to cooperate with the
police. A lessening of the crime
wave was noted.In a single instance one of the citizens
shot at the wrong man. Even
then there were extenuating circumstances.
But immediately the edict
went forth that civilian police aids
who carried firearms were doing so
unlawfully and must stop. Thereupon
the thuggery business picked up.All of which is not a plea for the
wholesale arming of the civilian
population but for a wholesale dis-
arming of the vicious element. Until
this is done no ordinary police organization
can deal adequately with the crime
situation, while the orderly citizen,
forbidden self-protection, will
remain at the mercy of the bandits.

IMMIGRANT HOMES

Many remedies are suggested for
America's alien problems. Fresh
plans for the selection, restriction
and distribution of incoming aliens
appear almost every day. Systems
without number are proposed for
keeping track of them. One most im-
portant item receives too little attention.
That is intelligent, constructive
interest in the home life of the immigrant
after he is established here.There is a good deal of welfare work
carried on in these homes now by
various organizations, but the field is
scarcely touched. Any teacher in the
poorer districts of any community to
which there is an immigrant drift can
tell tales too horrifying to repeat of
home conditions among the pupils in
her school. Crowded, dirty, sicken-
ingly immoral, they are often hot-
beds of disease, discontent and crime.
This is by no means true of the
homes of all types of immigrants or
of all localities. It applies chiefly to
the large cities. But the evil is suf-
ficiently widespread and its results
are so menacing to the national safety
as to demand general attention.A better system of selection and
distribution will help to correct these
evils. So would a check-up system
which brought a true record of the
condition and activities of these families
to some authoritative center every
year. But along with these forces
there must be more plain, old-fash-
ioned neighborliness and informal
missionary work, as well as more org-
anized impersonal welfare work. So
long as the alien is permitted or
forced to live in festering surround-
ings, so long he will be a sore spot.INTERPRETING THE CONSTITU-
TIONPart of the public manifests much
concern over the resignation of Associate
Justice Clarke from the United States Supreme Court for the
reason, as stated, that it reduces the
"liberal minority" from three to two
members. It leaves only Associate
Justices Brandeis and Holmes to support the so-called latitudinarian
interpretation of the constitution
against the strict interpretation.

Really, does it make much difference? Is it not a general fact that the two forces are always present and active? Is there not always in the supreme court, as in every institution and committee, a force which favors liberalism and another which leans to conservatism? And is it not true that the liberal is often conservative and the conservative frequently liberal?

It is well that there are counter
boxers.France suggests an inter-allied
debt-parley, with the United States
participating. No doubt it is believed
that representation by this country would give more credit to
the conference.

Strikes are like war, Sherman.

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BY GEORGE McMANUS

BRINGING UP FATHER



9-15

JACK DAW'S ADVENTURES

(No. 53)



BY ELTON

PRICES

Senator Capper tells about a certain
make of bran, which wholesales
at \$23 a ton and costs consumers
\$60 a ton when it reaches them in
package form.The manufacturer would tell you
that he has to get the price to cover
the high costs of marketing.There is only one real problem in
economics. That problem is distribution—shortening the gap between
producer and consumer. The gap,
however, steadily widens.

FEET

As tight shoes and higher heels
come back in the east, shoe store
clerks discover that loose and easy
flapper styles have made women's
feet fat.The job now is to get a quart-foot
into a pint-shoe. It will be done
Fashion stops at nothing in its long-
range tendency to keep women clad
as uncomfortably as possible.The return of wasp-waists is not
many years off.

HOME

Rufus H. Gray has lived in the
same house for 73 years, in the heart
of Boston.They "built to last" in those days.
How many modern houses will
hang together 73 years? You have
heard of the new house that col-
lapsed because they took down the
scaffolding before putting on the wall
paper.

ARMY

The regular army has been cut to
an enlisted strength of 125,000. This
is about 100,000 fewer than a year
ago.Until Europe gets the same idea
through its cement head, it will con-
tinue sinking deeper in the mire.A sport reviewer remarks that
there are few pitchers who are am-
bitious. He's right. The game's
lively enough now for the best of
them this year with the regular
dough-winning hand.President Spiller of the Atlanta
team traded his son-in-law, John
Suggs, to the Memphis club. If Spiller
is like most fathers-in-law, he
believes that all young couples should
have their own home plates and bat
'em out themselves.Citizens of Hurrah, Okla., have ob-
jected to the ringing of curfew at 9
o'clock, contending that it disturbs
their slumber. The town might well
adopt moonlight saving time. The
twilight zone has been found at last.A few handfuls of dust, a little art-
istic draping with the phoney cob-
webs, and another rum-hound is
ready to be parted from his bankroll.
Barnum was right.

WOMAN

Ben Franklin's great-great-grand-
daughter, Mrs. Ellen Duane Davis,
runs for Congress on the Democratic
ticket, in Pennsylvania.If she is anything like old Ben —
and she looks as sensible, in her pic-
ture—she should be elected. What
this country needs most is a few
horse-sense leaders of the caliber of
Ben Franklin and Thomas Jefferson.
They weren't fire-eaters or shadow-

A BIVALVULAR ODE

By Berton Braiey

The oyster is a merry bird,
Its ways of living are absurd;
It opens up its shell full wide
And lets its dinner drift inside;
(Some like it raw—I like it fried.)The oyster is a funny beast,
With no ambition, not the least.
It sits and waits its whole life through
For any fate that may ensue,
(I like it in a cocktail, too.)The oyster is the quaintest fish,
It hasn't any tail to swim,
It doesn't swim, but stays and stays,
Immobile during all its days,
(I like it roasted various ways.)The oyster is a curious reptile,
Close-mouthed, its secrets all are kept
till
An oyster-man, with manners rude,
Opens it up for human food;Grasshoppers are bad in Alberta,
Canada. It may boost the price of Alberta peaches.They had to chloroform a New York
waitress to close her mouth. This,
however, is nothing new.Society to exterminate cats is start-
ed. It could be done by teaching dogs
to climb trees.Statue of Miles Standish got its head
knocked off by lightning. May have
been thinking about a flapper.Virginia farmer 126 years old is
dead. They say he could remember
when farmers were not having a hard
time.New York state has 8,000 hiking
clubs. This is another evil result of
the rail strike.In Des Moines, an auto was stolen
from the jail garage. None of the po-
licians were taken.California is a healthy state and be-
sides she has 21,000,000 gallons of wine
stored.Women can smoke on Pittsburgh
streets. Just the same, they can't spit
across the sidewalk.If they really want to change our
national anthem we suggest "Keep
the home fire burning."Status of Miles Standish got its head
knocked off by lightning. May have
been thinking about a flapper.Some foods, in particular, have an
enormous fuel value. We eat these
quite carelessly, while we might just
as well be eating other foods with a
lower fuel value and be just as well
satisfied, if we but stopped to think.For extreme overweight, diet should
be prescribed by a physician to suit
the needs of each particular case.
There are, however, certain general
principles that are applicable to the
average case.Some foods, in particular, have an
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satisfied, if we but stopped to think.For instance, it would take about
\$9 worth of lettuce to make 2500 calo-
ries, while 30 cents' worth of butter or
10 cents' worth of sugar would furnish
this same amount.No one would think of feeding ex-
clusively on any one of these foods.I'm proof against that word "fail-
ture." I've seen it behind it. The only
failure a man ought to fear is failure
in cleaving to the purpose he sees to
be best.—George Eliot.

The word's origin is uncertain.

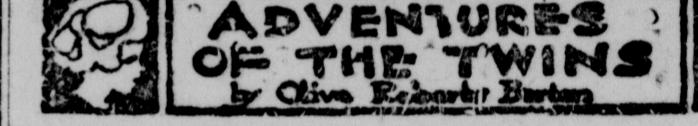
It's used like this—"Nothing," says

Senator Robinson of Arkansas, "need
be feared by this country from those
who make blatant attacks upon its in-
stitutions, but beware of those whocondone violations of its laws and con-
stitution."

21 YEARS AGO TODAY.

Tim Sullivan came out from Chicago
to visit his mother.Ten-months-old daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. Wesley Hoyle of Eldena passed
away.The Telegraph said: "Should Al
Simonsen have a contract to paint the
town today we have no doubt he would
paint 'er red." This morning Mrs.
Simonsen presented the happy father
with a nice boy baby and all parties
are doing as well as could be expected.
As a reporter he has failed to make a
report of this 'latest arrival,' but we
forgive him."

21 YEARS AGO TODAY.

The Telegraph published an account
of the dedication of the new Catholic
church at Wes Brooklyn.Occupation of new Lee county Court
House completed.

THE WIZARD

Instantly Flap-Doodle turned into a
bent-up old man with long robes
and a flowing beard. And at the same
time pretty bushes and flowers grew
all around with a tinkly little stream
flowing merrily along between them.A pretty arch-way with rose vines
growing on it bore some letters which
read, "Dingle Dell." Your fortune told
for nothing! All magic free! Step in!"By and by when everything was
ready, along came Nancy and Nick
and Rubadub."Why, I declare" said Rubadub.
"This isn't the Dingle Dell I was
looking for, but I suppose it's as good
as any. Let's go in and see if this
wizard can help us catch Flap-Doodle
and get back the Fairy Queen's
wand."

So in they all marched.

(To be Continued)

BY WILLIAMS

OUT OUR WAY



Do You Remember?

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THE BETRAYER

J. F. WILLIAMS



by Louis
Joseph Vance
of International Magazine Company

BEGIN HERE TODAY

The brilliant member of the English Society and the courageous rescuer of MME. DE SEVENIE and her guests from robbery by Paris Apaches had preferred to be known as ANDRE DUCHEMIN.

It was under this name that he had been in battle with highwaymen, the beautiful American widow, EVE DE MONTALAIS. Then, in the chateau de Montalais, where Duchemin was a dinner guest, there came that strange motoring party seeking refuge from the storm: the American,

WHITAKER MONK; his secretary, PHINUIT; the latter's brother, JULES, and the COUNT and COUNTESS DE LORGNEZ.

GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER VII

The Apache Strikes Back

DUCHEMIN took back with him to Nant, that night, food in plenty for thought, together with a notion that he had better resign himself to stop on indefinitely at the Grand Hotel de l'Univers and . . . see what he should see.

That fatality on which he had so bitterly reflected, had him now fairly by the heels. Impossible—and the more so the longer he pondered it—to credit to mere coincidence the innuendos uttered at the chateau by Mr. Monk and his party.

Now there had been malice in that, Duchemin was satisfied, if not some darker purpose which perplexed the most patient scrutiny.

Now malice without incentive is unthinkable. But Duchemin searched his memory in vain for anything he could have said or done to make anybody desire to discredit him in the sight of the ladies of the Chateau de Montalais. Still the attempt so to do had been unmistakable: the Lone Wolf had been lugged into the conversation literally by his legendary ears.

Surely, one would think, that nocturnal prowler of pre-war Paris had been so long dead and buried even the most ghoulish gossip should respect his poor remains and not distract them merely to demonstrate that the past can never wholly die!

Had he, then, some enemy of old hidden under one of those sleek surfaces?

An excellent visual memory reviewed successively the physical characteristics of Messieurs Monk, Phinuit and de Lorgnez, and their chauffeur Jules; with the upshot that Duchemin could have sworn that he had never before known any of these.

And Madame la Comtesse? In respect of that one memory again drew a blank, but remained unsatisfied. When one thought of her some remote, faint chord of reminiscence thrilled and hummed, but never recognizably.

Setting aside then the theory of positive personal animus, what other reason could there be for the effort to fasten upon Duchemin suspicion of identity with the late Lone Wolf?

A suspirer consideration, if any, and one Duchemin suspected not unconnected with the much-talked-about jewels of Madame de Montalais . . .

And then partly to kill time, he resumed his character as the pedestrian tourist.

He took the road in the heart of a day even more oppressive than its yesterday. In the valley of the Doubs the air was stagnant, life

less. After eight miles of it Duchemin was guilty of two mistakes of desperation.

In the first instance he paused in La Roque-Sainte-Marguerite and, tormented by thirst, refreshed himself at the auberge where the barouche and guide had been hired to convey the party from Montalais on to Montpellier. The landlord remained Duchemin and made believe he didn't, serving the wayfarer with a surly grace.

Duchemin drank sitting on a bench outside the door of the auberge. He could hear the voice of the landlord inside, grumbling and growling, to what purport he couldn't determine. Before Duchemin was finished he found himself the cynosure of more than a few pairs of eyes set in the ill-favored faces of natives of La Roque.

One gathered that the dead guide had enjoyed a fair amount of local popularity.

While Duchemin drank, a lout of a lad shambled out of the auberge,

A VOICE CRIED: "QUICKLY, MONSIEUR, QUICKLY!"

caught and saddled a dreary animal, mounted, and rode off in the direction of Nant.

Then Duchemin committed his second error of judgment, which consisted in thinking to find better and cooler air on the heights across the river.

Accordingly he crossed the Dourbie, reached the top in a bath of sweat, and sat down to cool and breathe himself.

The view was splendid, almost worth the climb. Duchemin could see for miles up and down the valley. Across the way Duchemin identified the figure of the landlord, standing in the door of the auberge with arms raised and elbows thrust out on a level with his eyes: the pose of a man using field glasses.

Having rested, he picked himself up, found his road, a mere trail of wagon tracks, and mindful of the cooling drinks to be had in the Cafe de l'Univers, put his best foot forward.

After a time something, call it instinct, impelled him to look back the way he had come. Half a mile distant he saw the figure of a peasant following the same road. Duchemin stopped and waited for the other to come up. But when he stopped the man stopped, sat him down upon a rock, filled a pipe, and conspicuously rested.

Duchemin gave an impatient gesture and moved on. After another mile he glanced over his shoulder. The same peasant occupied the same relative distance from him.

In dusk of evening he stumbled down into the valley again and struck the river road about midway between the Chateau de Montalais and Nant. At this junction several

dwellings clustered. Duchemin noticed a few shadowy shapes loitering about, but was too far gone in fatigue and thirst to pay them any heed. He had no thought but to stop at the first house and beg a cup of water. As he lifted a hand to knock on the door he was attacked.

With no more warning than a cry, the signal for the onslaught, and the sudden scuffling noise of several pairs of feet, he wheeled, found himself already closely pressed by a number of men, and struck out at random. His stick landed on somebody's head with a resounding thump followed by a yell of pain. Then three men were grappling with him, two more seeking to aid them, and another lay in the roadway clutching a fractured skull and spitting oaths and groans.

His stick was seized and wrenched away, he was overwhelmed by numbers. The knot of struggling figures toppled and went to the dust. Duchemin underneath, so weighed down that he could not for the moment move a hand toward his pistol.

Half-stifled by the reek of unwashed flesh, he heard broken phrases growled in voices hoarse with effort and excitement:

"The knife! . . . Hold him!"
"The knife!"

Struggling madly, he worked a leg free and kicked with all his might. One of his assailants howled aloud and fell back to nurse a broken shin. Two others scrambled out of the way, leaving one to pin him down with knees upon his chest, another to wield the knife.

Staring eyes caught a warning clean on descending steel. Duchemin squirmed frantically to one side, and felt cold metal kiss the skin over his ribs as the blade penetrated his clothing, close under the armpit.

Before the man with the knife could strike again, Duchemin, roused to a mighty effort, threw off the ruffian on his chest, got on his knees and, raining blows right and left as the others closed in again, somehow managed to scramble to his feet.

Fist-work told. For an instant he stood quite free, the center of a circle of uncertain assassins whose cowardice gave him time to whip out his pistol. But before he could level it a man was on his back, his wrist was seized and the weapon twisted from his grasp.

A cry of triumph was echoed by exclamations of alarm as, disarmed, Duchemin was again left free, the thugs standing back to let the pistol do its work. In that instant a broad sword of light swung round a nearby corner and smote the group: the twin, glaring eyes of a motor car flooded with blue-white radiance that tableau of one man at bay in the middle of the road, in a ring of merciless enemies.

Duchemin's cry for help was uttered only an instant before his pistol exploded in alien hands. The headlights showed him distinctly the face of the man who fired, the same face of fat features black with soot that he had seen by moonlight at Montpellier-de-Vieil.

But the bullet went wild, and the automobile did not stop, but drove directly at the group and so swiftly that the flash of the shot was still vivid in Duchemin's vision when the car swept between him and those others, scattering them like chickens.

Simultaneously the brakes were set, the dark bulk began to slide with locked wheels to a stop, and a voice cried: "Quickly, monsieur, quickly!"—the voice of Eve de Montalais.

In two bounds Duchemin overtook the car and before it had come to a standstill leaped upon the running-board and grasped the side. He had one glimpse of the set white face of Eve, as she bent forward, manipulating the gear-shift. Then the pistol spat again, its bullet struck him a blow of sickening agony in the side.

Aware that he was dangerously wounded, he put all that he had left of strength and will into one final effort, throwing his body across the door. As he fell sprawling into the tonneau consciousness departed like a light withdrawal.

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for several days with a badly infected eye.

County Supt. L. W. Miller made a short visit of the schools here Tuesday and expressed his appreciation of the improvements being made and also the high-class of work being done in the schools.

Walter Cook of Mendota was looking after business matters here Tuesday.

Fred Rhoads, who has been working in the gravel pit was laid off several days last week on account of some kind of infection of the eyes.

Jos. Wershinski severed both the large artery and vein in his right leg with a corn knife Monday evening.

Arthur Archer has moved his family to town after spending the summer on his farm.

Prof. D. C. Thompson made a business trip to Mendota Saturday.

Ruth Owner of Earville has been here for several weeks' left the later part of the week to enter school in Michigan.

John H. Walter and family returned Tuesday from a visit at Marinette, Wis., with Mrs. Walter's sister.

L. W. Kutter went to Marengo Monday, taking with him John Miller and Adolph Bauer. Mr. Kutter is building a large silo on his farm there.

The news was received here last week of the arrival of a baby boy to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley M. Banks of Los Angeles, Cal.

Invitations to the wedding of Robt. Anglemier of Pontiac, Mich., to take place Sept. 14th. Robert is assistant cashier of the National Bank of Pontiac and has many friends here.

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

Morning worship, 10:30 a. m.

Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.

Evening worship, 7:30 p. m. Choir practice Friday evening, 8 p. m. at

the church. Vacation time is over, come and visit the church. You are always welcome.—Samuel Taylor, Minister.

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Amundsen Not to Attempt Flight to Pole Until Spring

Nome, Alaska, Sept. 14.—Information from a reliable source received here today was to the effect that Captain Roald Amundsen would not attempt this year his proposed flight across the North Pole, to Greenland, as was reported recently from Copenhagen. Amundsen, who waits last reported at Wainwright, 100 miles southwest of Point Barrow, Alaska, plans to spend the winter there, according to this information.

House Approved Bonus Bill; Now Up to the Senate

Washington, Sept. 14.—Without a record vote the house approved to-day the conference report on the soldiers bonus bill. The measure now goes to the senate and with final action there it will be sent to President Harding.

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Church Notes

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH

(Colored)

Rev. M. A. Hawkins, Pastor

The pastor has just returned from a trip to Savanna, Ill. On Sunday afternoon at 4:30, seven candidates who professed hope in Christ during the recent series of meetings will be received into the church by baptism. Special baptismal services will be held for the occasion at the recently completed church on Highland Avenue between Sixth and Seventh streets.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

Cor. 3rd St. & Madison Ave.

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Sermon by the pastor 11:15 a. m.

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C. W. S. 7:00 p. m.

Sermon by pastor 7:45 p. m. Subject: "Reasonable Service."

All young people of the community are invited.

Everyone welcome to all these services.

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Sunday School 9:45. A. L. Wilson, Supt.

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Hamburger, lb.	15c
Prime Round Steak, pound	28c
Short Porterhouse Steaks, lb.	32c
Smoked Shoulder Hams, lb.	20c
Roast Pork, lb.	24c
Pork Sausage, lb.	18c
Fresh Hearts, lb.	10c
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Pork Liver, lb.	10c
Beef Liver, lb.	15c
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9:45 a. m. Sunday School. Lesson on "The Message of Malachi." Malachi 3:7-18. Read the entire book of Malachi. Are people robbing God today? Come to our Bible school.

10:45 a. m. Sermon by Evangelist Harry Morrow.

3:00 p. m. Rev. Morrow will preach.

7:30 p. m. Song service and sermon by Rev. Morrow.

Owing to the afternoon service the Keystone League will not meet at 6:30. There will be good singing. The new song book is becoming popular.

The revival meetings will be continued during next week. Come to the services. Bring your friends.

10:30 a. m. The morning worship hour. The Junior Chorus will bring the music. A representative of the Order of Gideons will speak at this service. Let us give him a good audience.

7:30 a. m. Union service in charge of the Gideons at which several of these men will speak. The service will begin promptly on time with a fine song service.

stead of the evening sermon the Men's Bible class will give the program planned for last Sunday evening but which was postponed because of the rains.

You will miss something if you are not present for this program. A welcome awaits you at all of our services.

FRANKLIN GROVE M. E. CHURCH

Rev. Warren Hutchinson, Pastor

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10:30 a. m. Prof. J. Fritschel of Clinton, Ia., speaker.

English services 2:15 p. m. Rev. W. Burtlaff of Compton, Ill. will deliver the address.

Special offering for home and foreign missions at both services.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. Aubrey Shannon Moore, Pastor

9:45 a. m. Sunday School for Bible study.

Two splendid orchestras and an interesting study hour.

10:45 a. m. Sermon by the pastor.

3:00 p. m. Epworth League for young people by young people.

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SUGAR GROVE CHURCH

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Regular service Sunday morning, Sept. 17 at 11 o'clock, subject "Matthew."

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.

The reading room is open each week day from 2 to 4 except holidays.

The public is cordially invited to attend all services.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. Cleaver, Pastor

The opening sermon of the present pastorate will be: "What a Congregation May Expect of a Minister," and "What a Minister May Expect of the Congregation."

The Christian Endeavor topic for the meeting at 6:30 is: "Getting an Education."

GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. G. A. Graf, Pastor

Mission festival, German services

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Lloyd Warren Walter, Pastor

9:15 a. m. Early Service.

9:30 a. m. Sunday School. W. E. White, Supt.

A splendid force of officers and teachers man the school.

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ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

**COMMUNITY PICNIC
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LARGE ATTENDANCE**

Over 3,000 Pleasure Seekers Had Fine Time at Picnic.

Rochelle, Ill.—Three thousand people attended the Farmers and Merchants' old time community picnic held in Southworth's grove here Tuesday.

Outstanding features were the water sports held at the bathing beach at 4:00 p.m., when George May, Erbans, Saley and Forsythe and Misses Smuin and Merritt, of Rockford, gave an exhibition of fancy diving and swimming. In addition to fancy diving the young women gave an exhibition of under water swimming.

Exhibition divers included the back and front jack knife, plain back dive, hand stand dive, hand stand somersault, flying Dutchman, hand somersault, hard spring somerset, 1½ with a half twist front and backward dives.

Burton Knight won the prize for the best ten eags of new corn displayed on the grounds. He exhibited white corn. McNamara was second. Royal Hill exhibited the best yellow corn.

The farmers won the tug-of-war from the merchants.

The Rochelle Cornet band furnished music all day. The showing of four reels of moving pictures on the street, and a street dance closed the day's festivities.

Mrs. Thos. E. Fouser will entertain a company of fourteen relatives in honor of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Countryman's 90th birthday at home, 627 7th street Friday noon.

Mrs. Countryman was born, Sept. 15, 1832, in Herkimer County, N. Y., and lived to celebrate her golden wedding anniversary with her husband, the late Norman Countryman, who died Feb. 24, 1911. She has resided in Lynnvilles township, 62 years and for 28 years in Rochelle.

She is a member of the double quartette of four Wagner sisters, who married four Countryman brothers, all of whom lived to celebrate their golden wedding anniversaries. Mrs. Countryman's sister, Mrs. Jennie E. Countryman, and a brother-in-law, John E. Countryman, survive of this unusual group.

Two of Mrs. Countryman's three children, Luetta M., now Mrs. T. E. Fouser and Lincoln A., will be present at the birthday dinner. Fayette N., who with his family were here from Sioux City, Iowa, for several weeks this summer, will be unable to be present.

The guest-of-honor is active, lives in the same house but in a separate apartment from her daughter and does her own work. She can read without glasses and is in the full possession of her faculties.

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He confessed. He had met the girl by appointment and had sneaked into her room when no one was looking. He accused her of infidelity.

In a fit of passion he strangled her. Then he sneaked off home without being seen.

He was convicted of manslaughter in the first degree and is now doing time all because—

Without that bit of paper we probably would never have found a clew and the Varvara case would have gone down as an unsolved mystery.

She had come in early in the night alone. No one was seen to leave. Yet there she lay.

The case was entered on the police blotter as "strangled to death by some unknown person."

On the next day we found her home in Brooklyn. Search of her room revealed nothing.

We were about to leave when I noticed a scrap of paper on the floor of a dirty closet. There wasn't much on it—just the name of a shoemaker on the East Side.

But it was enough. We went to see the man.

He was a poor old fellow, incapable of doing any wrong.

When told him that the girl was dead he was horrified. He had known her for some time.

Did he know any of her friends?

He did not. But he would try to recall. After a time he reminded himself of one—a married man. But he didn't know his name or address.

He thought and thought. Finally he recalled the name of the man's brother-in-law.

It was night then. But we went to his house and awakened 25 families before we found him.

He told us where the suspect lived. We went back to Brooklyn, found the house, located the flat and found the man sleeping. A woman and child were with him.

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CRIMES I HAVE SOLVED—NO. 1.

BY MICHAEL FIASCHETTI.
One of America's Greatest Detectives and Former Head of the New York Italian Squad.

It was a slow night at headquarters after 11, and no trouble. Suddenly the phone rang. It was a flash from a West-Side precinct.

A woman had been murdered. She was Italian, young and good-looking. Her body was stretched out on the dirty floor of a cheap rooming house.

We searched the room for a clew but found nothing.

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Now Klan in Illinois Gets Into the Courts

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The action was brought by Brockman in the circuit court here immediately after the Imperial representative had obtained an injunction prohibiting him from collecting any more money or attempting further organization work for the Klan. Mr. Christie styled him as an "impostor." He said Brockman owed the Klan \$594 collected for membership, and that he had admitted owing it, but had made no move to pay.

In his suit for \$10,000 Brockman answers that the Klan owes him \$800 for work done, and that when Christie had him arrested at Mt. Pulaski he subjected him to "false imprisonment."

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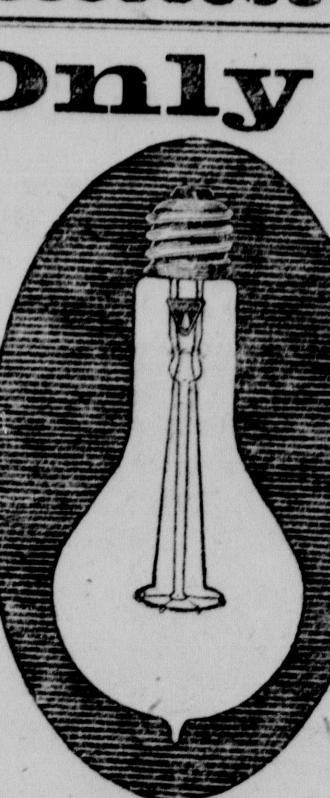
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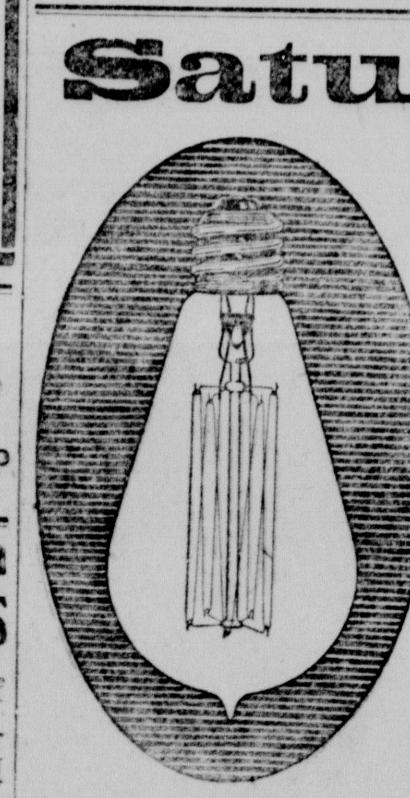
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A WATER CYCLE RACE AT MIDLAND BEACH, STATEN ISLAND

## Criminals Change Looks Through Facial Surgery

Woven into the tale of one of the greatest blessings of mankind is the story of how it has been perverted. Along with the accounts of telling of lives saved, miseries alleviated, and happiness restored are the records of how the most desperate criminals have turned this healing power to serve their ends. By its use they have made the detection of crime extremely difficult and have laid a very complicated problem at the doors of the police authorities.

When reconstructive surgery of the face came to the forefront during the war it was immediately recognized as one of the greatest forward strides in modern science. Men were coming into the hospitals with chins blown away, with cheekbones shattered, and nose and forehead literally obliterated. Society faced a tremendous problem in caring for these men whose ability to provide for themselves had apparently been destroyed. The men themselves were gloomy at the prospect of their utter uselessness.

Surgery came to the relief of the situation. Where a chin had been blown away by a high explosive a shinbone was grafted. Where a cheekbone had been shattered a plate was inserted. The bony structure of noses and foreheads was rebuilt and skin grown over it. Men who had been relegated to the dependent class were restored to usefulness.

### Disguised Faces.

To one salient feature of this facial reconstruction criminals immediately turned their attention. They noticed that the personal appearance of men whose faces had been shattered and rebuilt was changed. The contour of the nose was a little different. The cheekbone might be higher or lower. A slight difference between the reconstructed forehead and the original forehead would make all the difference in the world. Some of these men were not recognized even by their friends after they had been discharged from the hospitals. Criminals whose pictures had been published on police fliers all over the world saw that by a slight operation their appearance might be changed and they could go their way unrecognized.

Almost any kind of a face a criminal desires can be supplied by plastic surgery. If he has a prominent nose he can have the septum cut down so as to make his nose straight or smaller. If he has a saddle nose—one with a depression—wax can be moulded under the skin to make its contour straight. Another method of accomplishing the same result is by grafting a piece of shinbone on the septum. A

thousand and one alterations may be made in the general outline of the nose.

The same thing applies to the lips.

Their expression can be changed by

the surgeon so that the appearance of

the criminal who submits to the operation

will be as unlike an earlier photo-

graph hanging in the rogues' gallery

as a silk-curtained limousine is differ-

ent from a motorcycle sidecar. A few

cuts with the surgeon's knife and the

mouth can be made smaller or larger.

### Fingerprints May Be Altered.

If a criminal prefers he may cloak his identity under altered eyelids. He can have the muscles shortened, pulled up, and stitched, and he will look as much like a Chinaman as if he had descended from Oriental ancestors. If he

## Vacation Sensations for Those Who Stick to Work



A river-steamer plus a little imagination will serve in place of a trip to Europe, and one is spared the experience of mal de mer.



Instead of climbing mountains to reduce discards the elevator and use the steps to your office, thus combining business and pleasure.



(COURTESY PHILADELPHIA RECORD)

Buy a bathing-suit by all means and then let "hubby" turn the hose on you. This will give him as much pleasure as ducking you.

its record on his body. The bony structures used as a basis for measurement in the Bertillon system are, for all practical purposes, unalterable. But then not every criminal roaming around the world gets into the hands of the police to be put through the

BECAUSE of careless marking 8,000 packages were turned into the "No Mark Bureau" of the American Railway Express Company as undeliverable in March, 1919.

The company began an intensive campaign of education, trying to induce the shipper to be more careful, and the receiving agents in the express depots to be more exacting in imposing standards of proper marking. The number of unmarked pieces turning up on the lines, as reported to the Scientific American, at once suffered a drop, and by May, 1921, had fallen below 1,500. It has remained in this neighborhood ever since, and the express company now maintains only nine bureaus instead of 20, to take care of these packages.

At the same time the number of claims of all sorts presented against the company has dropped from a high mark of 242,000 in January, 1919, to 50,000 in September, 1921. This means a fall from 14.5 claims per 1,000 shipments to 3.25 per 1,000. The saving to the company in actual indemnities and in expense of tracing shipments is matched by the saving to the shipper and the consignee.

### No Artists Wanted.

Throughout Old Lynne and Hamburg, Conn., you are welcome to wander over farm property—unless you are an artist. Signs everywhere forbid artists to trespass, says the Scientific American. The reason given is that many cows have been poisoned by paint-encrusted rags thrown away by the cowboys.



## DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



BY ALLMAN

POLO BOY KICKED  
OVER EYE BY MULE;  
WOUND NOT SERIOUSMaynard Wisner Narrowly  
Escaped Losing Sight  
of Optic.

POLO—Roy Alcorn was an Aurora visitor Saturday.

Miss Irene James of Chicago is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Larkin.

Miss Miriam Waterbury left last week Monday for Dana, Ill., where she will teach in the township high school the coming year.

Carl Naylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Naylor fell from a swing in school yard Friday and broke his left arm above the wrist.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alcorn of Harrisburg, Pa., came Saturday noon to visit his son, Roy and family and sister, Mrs. Charles Riggs.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson had as guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Held, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Miller of Freeport, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Read of Seattle, Wash., J. A. Long, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rowland, Mrs. Annie Osterhoudt, Mrs. George Smith and daughter, Mildred, and Emerson Witmer.

Miss Emma Smith entertained the

Embroidery club at her home Monday evening.

Joseph Smith of Chicago was a guest at the Roy Beck home last week.

Harry Hedrick of Chamberlain, S. Dak., visiting his mother, Mrs. Martha Hedrick and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Steck of Aurora, were recent visitors at the Jas. Hawkins home.

Miss Grace Gilbert of Peoria spent last week Sunday and Monday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gilbert.

The Old Town school girls of long ago held their annual picnic Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Barnes, eleven being present to enjoy the scramble supper. The deversions were in talking of olden times and the afternoon was delightfully spent.

Glenn Wisner has gone to California to spend the winter.

John Smith is ill with the grippe.

Luther Smith of Chicago visited Miss Abbie Wright Thursday.

Mrs. Charity Steck has gone to Aurora for a visit with relatives.

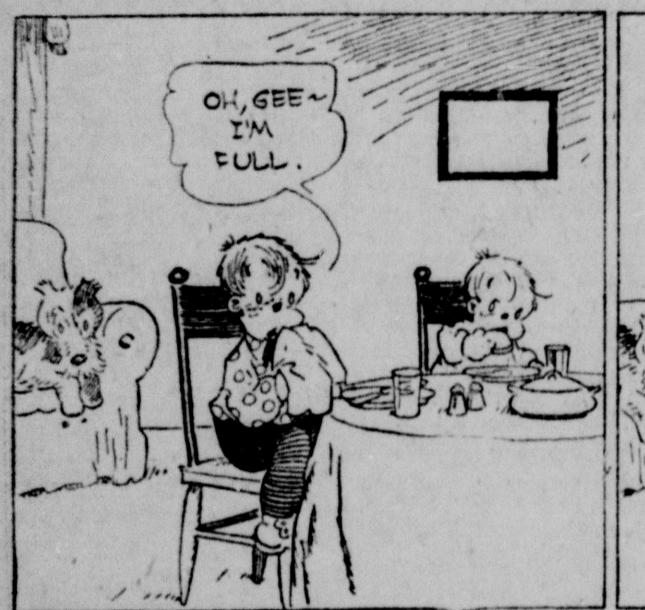
Maynard Wisner was kicked in the face above the eye by a mule Saturday. The wound required eight stitches to close and the victim of the accident was most fortunate in not having lost his eye.

Mrs. George Smith entertained at dinner Friday, Mr. and Mrs. David Gilbert, Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson and Mrs. Julia Marsh, the latter of Mary-

Frank Wilson and F. A. Read went to Freeport Sunday evening and from there went to Chicago.

## Isn't That Strange?

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



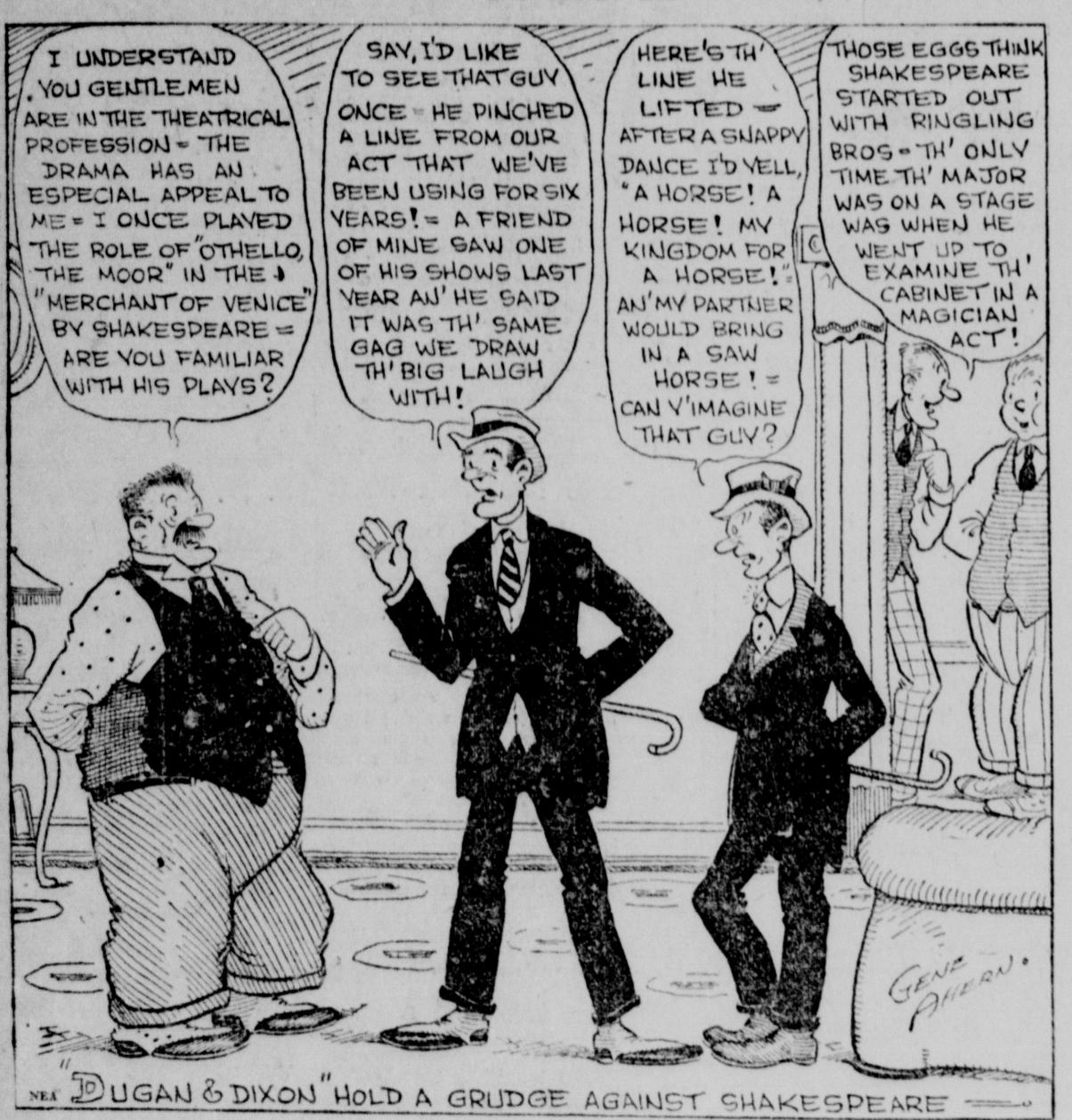
BY BLOSSER

## SALESMAN SAM



BY SWAN

## OUR BOARDING HOUSE



SAY, I'D LIKE TO SEE THAT GUY ONCE - HE PINCHED A LINE FROM OUR ACT THAT WE'VE BEEN USING FOR SIX YEARS! - A FRIEND OF MINE SAW ONE OF HIS SHOWS LAST YEAR AN' HE SAID IT WAS TH' SAME GANG WE DRAW TH' BIG LAUGH WITH!

HERE'S TH' LINE HE LIFTED - AFTER A SNAPPY DANCE I'D WELL TIME TH' MAJOR WAS ON A STAGE WAS WHEN HE WENT UP TO EXAMINE TH' CABINET IN A MAGICIAN ACT!

## Will Hear Motion to Release Clark Soon

Marion, Ill., Sept. 14.—Circuit Judge Hartwell announced last night he would hear the motion for release on bond of Otho Clark, the first man indicted and arrested on a charge of murder in connection with the Herrin massacre, some time next week, but did not fix the day. The motion was filed on the day Clark was arrested on an indictment charging him with killing C. K. McDowell, superintendent of the Lester strip mine, near which twenty-two men were killed June 21 and 22.

State's Attorney DeLois Duty has announced he would resist any legal action brought to free those on bond who have been charged with murder in connection with the Herrin mine war. Twenty-five of the 38 indicted for murder have been arrested and are being guarded in the county jail, here, by a special guard.

On hot summer days it is very nice to banish work and buy no ice. Just wear a simple and flat away from home to dine at our cafe. Take a real vacation from cooking. The Saratoga Cafe.

## GIRLS! WHITEN SKIN WITH LEMON JUICE

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White, which any drug store will supply for a few cents, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of harmless and delightful lemon bleach. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day, then shortly note the beauty and whiteness of your skin.

Famous stage beauties use this lemon lotion to bleach and bring that soft, clear, rosy-white complexion a sparkle like a freckle, sunburn, and tan bleach because it doesn't irritate.

## Hedding College to Be Re-opened Soon?

Rock Island, Ill., Sept. 14.—Confidence was expressed at today's session of the Central Illinois Methodist church conference that Hedding College at Abingdon, Illinois, temporarily

closed because of lack of funds would be re-opened and that its future usefulness would be increased. It was reported that the fight of the church for enforcement of the liquor prohibition law was gaining ground and belief was expressed that eventually law and order would be restored in the nation through the influence of the Christian people.

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